

## Message Text

SECRET

PAGE 01 STATE 057957

20

ORIGIN SS-15

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SSO-00 /016 R

66011

DRAFTED BY EUR/RPM:HAHOLMES

APPROVED BY EUR:JGLOWENSTEIN

S/S-O:ASHANKLE

----- 064812

R 100241Z MAR 76

FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO AMEMBASSY PARIS

S E C R E T STATE 057957

EXDIS

FOLLOWING USNATO 608 ACTION SECSTATE 5 FEB 76

QUOTE

S E C R E T USNATO 0608

EXDIS

DEPT PLEASE PASS TO SECDEF, USNMR SHAPE, AMEMBASSY PARIS

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, NATO

SUBJ: NPG: COPY OF TNF PAPER FOR FRENCH

REF: STATE 02490 (DTG 312325Z JAN 76)

1. ON FEBRUARY 4, CHARGE, ACCOMPANIED BY DEFAD, DELIVERED A SANITAIZED VERSION OF THE TNF IMPROVEMENT PAPER TO FRENCH PERMREP TINE AND HIS MILITARY COUNSELOR, COL DE MAS LATRIE. CHARGE MADE POINTS AS AUTHORIZED IN REFTEL AND DREW ON SECRETARY RUMSFELD'S PRESENTATION OF THE TNF PAPER AT HAMBURG.

2. AMB TINE RAISED ONLY A FEW QUESTIONS, WHICH ADDRESSED PRIMARILY THE PURPOSE AND HANDLING OF THE PAPER. CHARGE REITERATED THAT THE MAIN PURPOSE OF THE TNF PAPER WAS TO FURTHER

SECRET

SECRET

PAGE 02 STATE 057957

CONSULTATION WITHIN NATO ON A COMPREHENSIVE ASSESSMENT OF THIS

IMPORTANT ELEMENT OF THE NATO TRIAD. MORE SPECIFICALLY,  
CHARGE STATED THAT NATO MILITARY AUTHORITIES WOULD BE  
PROVIDING A MILITARY ASSESSMENT OF THE PAPER, THAT NPG  
PERMREPS WOULD ALSO BE DISCUSSING IT, AND THAT MINISTERS  
WOULD CONTINUE DISCUSSION OF IT AT THEIR NEXT MEETING IN THE  
SPRING.STREATOR  
UNQUOTE  
KISSINGER

SECRET

NNN

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** Z  
**Capture Date:** 01 JAN 1994  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** REPORTS, MILITARY PLANS, MILITARY POLICIES, MINISTERIAL MEETINGS, INFORMATION CONTROL  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Draft Date:** 10 MAR 1976  
**Decaption Date:** 28 MAY 2004  
**Decaption Note:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Authority:** BoyleJA  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 28 MAY 2004  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1976STATE057957  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** HAHOLMES  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** GS  
**Errors:** N/A  
**Film Number:** D760090-0213  
**From:** STATE  
**Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1976/newtext/t19760375/aaaacnvk.tel  
**Line Count:** 69  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM  
**Office:** ORIGIN SS  
**Original Classification:** SECRET  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** EXDIS  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Page Count:** 2  
**Previous Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Previous Classification:** SECRET  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** EXDIS  
**Reference:** 76 STATE 2490  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Authority:** BoyleJA  
**Review Comment:** n/a  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 02 FEB 2004  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review History:** RELEASED <02 FEB 2004 by morefirh>; APPROVED <16 AUG 2004 by BoyleJA>  
**Review Markings:**

Margaret P. Grafeld  
Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
04 MAY 2006

**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Referrals:** n/a  
**Review Release Date:** n/a  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** NATIVE  
**Subject:** NPG: COPY OF TNF PAPER FOR FRENCH  
**TAGS:** PFOR, FR, NATO  
**To:** PARIS  
**Type:** TE  
**Markings:** Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 04 MAY 2006